

Questions and Answers

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Q: Option H clarification

Posted On: 11/6/2018 10:56:53 AM

How many integrated child seats do you require per seat?

A: Two (2) integrated seats per seat are required.

Answered On: 11/8/2018 2:29:57 PM

Q: Appendix C Body diagrams - Units 1-6, 12-13, 14, 41-42, 45-46, 47

Posted On: 11/6/2018 10:59:11 AM

You have 14 rows of seats in these 72 passenger buses. Generally 72 passenger buses have 12 rows of seats. 14 rows of seats would be an 84 passenger and is not available on a conventional bus from our manufacturer. Will you accept buses with 12 rows of seats for 72 passenger buses?

A: These diagrams should have shown 12 rows for the 72-passenger buses.

Answered On: 11/8/2018 1:39:38 PM

Q: Appendix C Body diagrams - Units 7-11, 15-16, 23, 24-27, 29, 38-39, 40, 43-44

Posted On: 11/6/2018 11:01:39 AM

The lift buses in these diagrams are full of seats. It is unclear how many WC positions you require and the location of each position. Please clarify.

A: The units require the following wheelchair positions:

- Units 7-11: 1 Open slot (1 left) 0 covered
- Units 15-16: 0 Open slot 3 covered (2 left/1 right)
- Unit 23: 2 Open slots (2 Left) 2 covered (1 left/1-right)
- Units 24-27: 2 Open slots (2 Left) 2 covered (1 left/1 right)
- Unit 29: 2 Open slots (2 Left) 2 covered (1 left/1 right)
- Units 38-39: 1 Open slot (1 left) 2 Covered (1 left/1 right)
- Unit 40: 1 Open slot (1 left) 2 covered (1 left/1 right)
- Units 43-44: 1 Open slot (1 left) 2 covered (1 left/1 right)

Answered On: 11/14/2018 2:24:42 PM

Q: Technical Specs: Tires - Page 35

Posted On: 11/6/2018 11:11:10 AM

10R22.5 Tires are not available on flat floor buses from our manufacturer. Will you accept 255/70R22.5 tires on flat floor buses?

A: The 255/70R22.5 tires are acceptable for flat floor buses.

Answered On: 11/8/2018 1:38:55 PM

Q: Colonial Buses	Posted On: 11/6/2018 11:37:09 AM
They are requesting Option F which is exclusive to propane buses. All of their buses are diesel. Are they asking for a 100 gal fuel tank?	
A: Option "F" is for Propane Tanks only. This is not an Option Package for diesel.	Answered On: 11/8/2018 1:40:52 PM
Q: Option F	Posted On: 11/6/2018 11:39:53 AM
Units 38-39 are requesting Option F. Our manufacturer does not offer extended range tank on this bus length. Will you accept the standard tank?	
A: Yes, we will accept the standard tank for that size bus.	Answered On: 11/8/2018 3:13:22 PM
Q: All Colonial Buses	Posted On: 11/7/2018 1:04:46 PM
All of the Colonial buses show an extra heater on the seat diagram. The extra heater is not a listed option. So does it require the extra heater? If so what BTU requirements are needed?	
A: Extra heater request is not an Option Package.	Answered On: 11/9/2018 1:42:43 PM
Q: Unit 28 passenger capacity	Posted On: 11/15/2018 3:40:14 PM
There is a discrepancy on asked for capacity (54) and the diagram capacity(42). Should this bus have 7 rows of seats (42 passengers) or 9 rows (54)?	
A: Unit 28 should have 9 rows (54 passenger).	Answered On: 11/15/2018 3:40:24 PM
Q: Response Requirements	Posted On: 11/15/2018 1:27:15 PM
At the pre bid meeting we went over the response requirements and bid bond was not on the list. Has that been waived for this bid?	
A: A bid bond for 10 percent is required for this ITB (pages 8 and 50).	Answered On: 11/15/2018 3:43:08 PM
Q: Subcontractors	Posted On: 11/19/2018 4:29:55 PM
The bid states that subcontractors are to be identified on Attachment D. Attachment D is the Business Reference Form. Do we need to submit a form for subcontractors?	
A: No, it is not required as part of this ITB.	Answered On: 11/20/2018 9:09:31 AM